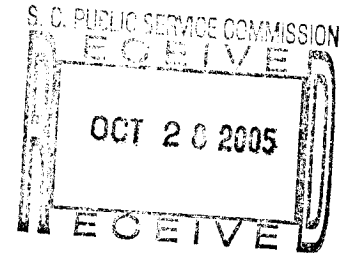


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October 27, 2005



The Honorable Charles L.A. Terreni  
Chief Clerk  
**SC Public Service Commission**  
P.O. Drawer 11649  
Columbia, SC 29211

RE: Application of Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Facilities-Based and Resold Local Exchange and Interexchange Telecommunications Services, for Flexible Rate Structure for Local Exchange Exchange Service Offerings First Approved in Docket 97-467-C and for Alternative Regulation First Approved in Docket No. 95-661-C  
**Docket No. 2005-294-C, Our File No. 1072-10322**

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing are two Affidavits of Publication for the Notice of Filing in the above-referenced proceeding.

Please acknowledge your receipt of this document by file-stamping the copy of this letter enclosed, and returning via the United States Postal Service in the envelope provided.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

**ELLIS, LAWHORNE & SIMS, P.A.**

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Carol Roof".

Carol Roof

Paralegal to John F. Beach and John J. Pringle, Jr.

CAR/I

cc: Ms. Lynn Martinez [via first-class mail service]  
Brian McDermott, Esquire [via first-class mail service]  
enclosures (originals)

PUBLIC SERVICE COM-  
MISSION OF SOUTH  
CAROLINA  
**DOCKETING  
DEPARTMENT**

**NOTICE OF  
FILING AND  
HEARING**

DOCKET NO. 2005-294-C  
Pac-West Telecomm.,  
Incorporated ("Applicant") filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide facilities-based and resold local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services. The Applicant proposes to offer a variety of local exchange and interexchange services. In addition, the Applicant has requested that the Commission regulate its local services in accordance with the principles and procedures established for flexible regulation in Order No. 1998-185 in Docket No. 1997-467-C. The Applicant also requests that the Commission regulate its business type long distance services in accordance with the principles and procedures established for modified alternative regulation by Order Nos. 1995-1734 and 1996-55 in Docket No. 1995-661-C, and as modified by Order No. 2001-997 in Docket No. 2000-407-C.

A copy of the Application is on file in the offices of the Commission, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210, the Commission's web site at [www.psc.sc.gov](http://www.psc.sc.gov), and is available from John J. Pringle, Jr., Esquire, Ellis, Lawhorne & Sims, PA, 1501 Main St., 5th Floor, Columbia, South Carolina 29201.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a hearing on the above matter has been scheduled to begin at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, January 9, 2006, before Hearing Examiner David Butler, Esquire in the Commission's Meeting Room at 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210. PLEASE BE ADVISED that pursuant to South Carolina Code of Laws - Section 58-9-280, as amended, the Commission will invoke the 120-day period allowed for consideration of this matter.

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Columbia, South Carolina  
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**The State**

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**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF RICHLAND**

Personally appeared before me, Peggy Lawrence, Advertising Sales Support Manager of THE STATE, and makes oath that the advertisement,

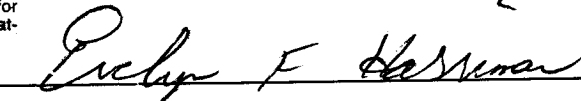
Notice of Filing and Hearing - Docket 2005-294-C - Pac-West Telecomm, Inc.

as inserted in THE STATE, a daily newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Columbia, State and County aforesaid, in the issues of

October 18, 2005

subscribed and sworn to before me

on this day October 24, 2005



Notary Public

My commission expires  
March 10, 2013

"Errors- the liability of the publisher on account of errors in or omissions from any advertisement will in no way exceed the amount of the charge for the space occupied by the item in error, and then only for the first incorrect insertion."

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before November 14, 2005 and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. Please refer to Docket No. 2005-294-C.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing, if scheduled, should notify the Docketing Department in writing at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff at Post Office Box 11263, Columbia, South Carolina 29211, and John J. Pringle, Jr., Esquire, at the above address, on or before November 14, 2005 and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please refer to Docket No. 2005-294-C.

Any person who wishes to be notified of the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing at the address below on or before November 14, 2005. Please refer to Docket No. 2005-294-C.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding MUST present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
Attn:  
Docketing Department  
Post Office  
Drawer 11649  
Columbia,  
South Carolina 29211  
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# The Greenville News

## AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

I, Susan F. Mullinax, being the legal advertising agent for *The Greenville News*, do hereby testify that the attached legal advertisement was published on 128 lines in *The Greenville News* on 10-14, 2005.

Susan F. Mullinax  
Susan F. Mullinax  
Legal Advertising Representative

Jeanne M. Gullie  
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Notary Public for State of South Carolina  
My Commission Expires April 4, 2013

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Under 14, 2005, please refer to Docket No. 2005-294. Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding MUST present such comments in writing to the Commission during the public hearing. Persons seeking information about the Commission's procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 894-5100. Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
Attn: Docketing Department  
One South Main Street  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201  
OCT-1345

354829 PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA DOCKETING DEPARTMENT  
DOCKET NO. 2005-294  
Pac-West Telecomm. Incorporated ("Applicant") filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina for a Certificate of Public Convenience, Necessity and Interchangeability of Service ("Certificate") for a long distance service. The Applicant proposes to offer a variety of long distance services, including but not limited to, international, domestic, and toll-free services. The Applicant also requests that the Commission regulate its local services in accordance with the principles and procedures established for long distance services in Order No. 1998-16 in Docket No. 1998-16. The Applicant also requests that the Commission regulate its business type long distance services in accordance with the principles and procedures established for regulated alternatives in Order No. 1995-1734 and 1995-23 in Docket No. 1995-601-C, and as modified by Order No. 2001-997 in Docket No. 2001-407-C. A copy of the Application is on file in the office of the Commission, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210. The Commission's web site at www.psc.sc.gov, and its records are available to the public. The Applicant is represented by John J. Pringle, Jr., Esq., 1501 Main Street, Suite 1500, Columbia, South Carolina 29201.  
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a hearing on the above matter has been scheduled for January 7, 2006, before Hearing Officer David Butler, Esquire in the Commission's Meeting Room at 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 1500, Columbia, South Carolina 29210. Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party or otherwise, should file a petition to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Procedure and Practice on or before October 14, 2005 and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include a return address for receipt of future correspondence and a return address in the petition. Please refer to Docket No. 2005-294-C.  
Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the public hearing, should notify the Commission by filing a written petition to participate in the public hearing. The Commission's Staff at Post Office Box 11263, Columbia, South Carolina 29211, will accept such petitions, or a party who wishes to testify or present evidence, or indicate the amount of time required for his presentation, should file a petition to participate in the public hearing. Please refer to Docket No. 2005-294-C.  
Any person who wishes to be notified of the hearing, but does not wish to present evidence, or a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing of the address below on or before the date above.